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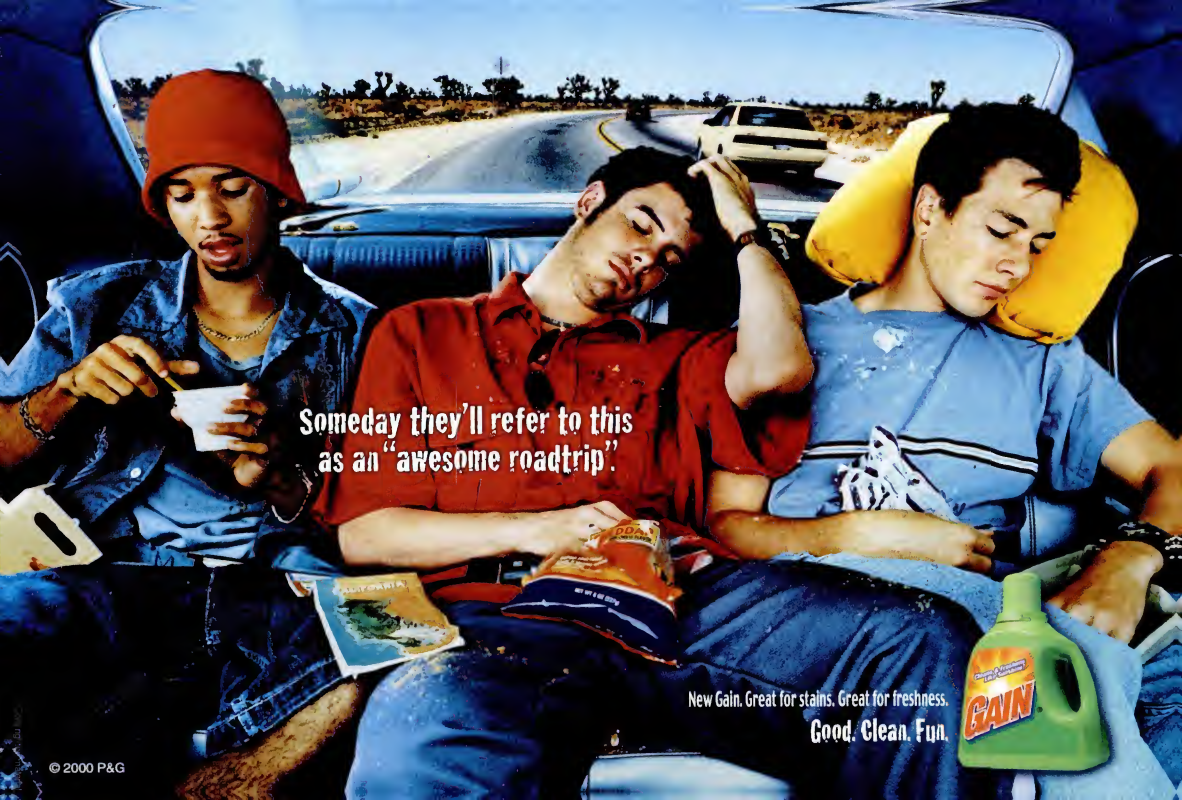


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Selma Mayor-Elect James Perkins speaks to supporters at his victory celebration in Selma, AL, following his defeat of long-time White Mayor Joe Smitherman.

Selma, AL, Elects Its First Black Mayor

In 1965 Black residents of Selma, AL, were brutally beaten with clubs and sprayed with teargas on the Edmund Pettus Bridge as they and fellow civil rights supporters marched for the right to vote. The infamous melee became known as Bloody Sunday and spurred the passage of the Voting Rights Act.

Now, 35 years later, Selma again is the site of historic change as the city

recently elected its first Black mayor.

In a nonpartisan runoff, businessman James Perkins, 47, easily defeated incumbent Joe Smitherman, a 70-year-old White former segregationist seeking his 10th-straight term in office. It was Perkins' third attempt to unseat Smitherman.

"This was the final step of the march over the bridge," said resident Burl Brown, who joined other Selma citizens who sang and danced in the streets in celebration of Perkins' election. "This is the dream that Dr. King wanted. The reason we're so happy is that Selma needed this. Change has to be made."

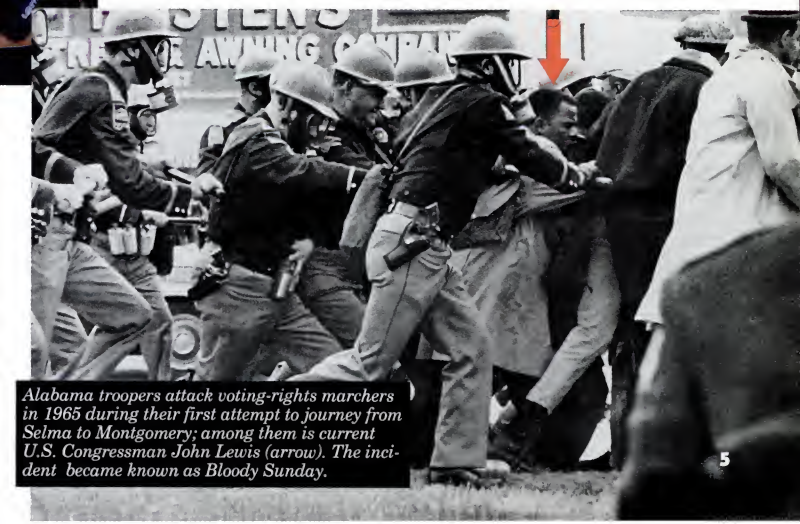
Perkins tallied 6,326 votes, or about 57 percent of the total. Smitherman had 4,854, or about 43 percent. Turnout was heavy as more than 75 percent of the city's estimated 14,000 registered voters went to the polls. Almost 2,000 more ballots were cast in the recent runoff than in the Aug. 22 initial election.

As the polls closed—even before official results were announced—Perkins' supporters flooded Selma streets, honking horns, shouting and singing in a jubilant impromptu celebration which lasted late into the night.

Alabama State Representative Johnny Ford, who made history as the first Black mayor of Tuskegee, AL, told JET that he "can relate to the pride that the people of Selma felt when they erupted and danced in the streets."

"It reminds me of what happened in 1972 when I was elected the first African-American mayor of Tuskegee."

Ford continued, "It is a great day



Alabama troopers attack voting-rights marchers in 1965 during their first attempt to journey from Selma to Montgomery; among them is current U.S. Congressman John Lewis (arrow). The incident became known as Bloody Sunday.



▲ *Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. leads the successful Selma-to-Montgomery march for voting rights in 1965. Among the marchers were (l-r) Rosa Parks, Rev. Ralph Abernathy and wife, Juanita, United Nations official Ralph J. Bunche, Coretta Scott King and Rev. F.D. Reese.*

for Alabama. We are seeing the gains as a result of the blood of Selma. African-American men and women are being elected around the South. The Selma election sends a very positive sign that the South is indeed the new frontier and that the South is rising again. This time African-Americans and European Americans will rise together, side by side."

After the election, many of Perkins' supporters crowded into a small and hot downtown auditorium to hear him declare victory.

"I'm here to tell you that Selma is open for business," Perkins told about 500 people during his victory speech. "You are the real reason I ran...we shall move forward, united.

"Many have said and many have felt that this was about James Perkins and Joe Smitherman. That's not true. Many have said it's about Black and White. That ain't so. This campaign has been about faith and fear. Faith won this campaign," Perkins said.

In conceding defeat, Smitherman said, "Mr. Perkins ran a good race and I respect him. I will not contest the result."

A former appliance salesman, Smitherman was a 34-year-old city councilman when he was first elected mayor in 1964. At the time, only about 150 Blacks were registered to vote, and Smitherman was opposed to Blacks voting in large numbers. He once referred to the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. as "Martin Luther Coon" in what he claimed was a slip of the tongue.

Six months after Smitherman's mayoral election, sheriff's deputies


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and state troopers attacked hundreds of voting-rights marchers on Selma's Edmund Pettus Bridge. The violence, and the ensuing Selma-to-Montgomery march led by King, galvanized the nation and led to passage of the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

Like his friend and mentor, the late Gov. George Wallace, Smitherman later turned his back on his segregationist past and since has appointed nine Black department heads and has campaigned for Black votes.

"I had bad times as mayor, I had good times," said Smitherman, who has been mayor since 1964, except for a one-year period in the late 1970s when he resigned to go into private business. "I think I accomplished some things."

NAACP President Kweisi Mfume called the election of Perkins "a new day for Selma and for Alabama."

"The defeat of Mayor Joe Smitherman after 36 years is a tribute to the hard work and dedication of Selma's Black citizens and right-thinking White voters," said Mfume, the Chicago Defender reported.

Perkins, an information technology consultant, ran his campaign from a small house behind his home. He grew up in Selma and was among the first group of Black students to integrate Selma's then-A. G. Parrish High School when his former school, R.B. Hudson High, merged with Parrish in 1970 to form Selma High.

The mayor-elect's post-secondary studies include a bachelor's degree in math from Alabama A&M University in Huntsville and master's degree courses in business administration at Auburn University in Montgomery. Perkins is married to Cynthia Page Perkins and is the father of four.

Congress Approves Bill To Honor Slave Laborers Who Built Capitol Building In D.C.



Rep. John Lewis



Rep. J.C. Watts

The slave laborers who helped build the nation's Capitol will finally be recognized, thanks to Rep. John Lewis (D-GA) and Rep. J.C. Watts (R-OK).

The House and Senate recently passed legislation to honor the 400-plus slaves who helped build the United States' seat of Democracy.

Lewis and Watts, the original sponsors of the legislation, originally teamed up to propose the resolution earlier this year (JET, July 17). It was sponsored in the U.S. Senate by Senators Spencer Abraham (R-MI) and Blanche Lincoln (D-AR).

A special task force will be authorized to study the contributions and history of slave laborers used toward building the Capitol. An appropriate memorial has also been recommended for the Capitol grounds.

▲ **HATE CRIME GRIEF:** President Clinton comforts Sherialyn Byrdsong of Skokie, IL, at the White House after she spoke about the slaying of her husband. She is the widow of Ricky Byrdsong, the former Northwestern University basketball coach who was randomly killed last year in part of a drive-by shooting spree by a 21-year-old White supremacist. Clinton called on Congress to vote in favor of the federal hate crimes legislation that would add crimes motivated by sexual orientation, gender or disability to the list of offenses covered under the 1968 federal law.

► **TIRE TESTIMONY:** Transportation Secretary Rodney Slater testifies on Capitol Hill before the Senate Commerce Committee hearing that addressed the Firestone tire recall. Firestone tires, which are used on Ford Explorers, have been recalled due to many cases of tread separation that have caused numerous vehicles to lose control and nearly 90 deaths. The Transportation Department has recommended that Congress strengthen the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's power to obtain information companies might resist providing about their products, such as warranty and claims data.



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by Simeon Booker, *Washington Bureau Chief*

Confidential: In his speech before the Congressional Black Caucus, Cuban National Assembly President **Ricardo Alarcon** intended to announce that 250 Black Americans would be accepted every year in his country's medical schools. But the U.S. government banned him from traveling from the United Nations to Washington to make the speech...Give Maryland Rep. **Elijah Cummings** credit for making real strides in the naming of United States Post Office buildings to honor Blacks. The most recent sites that have been approved by Congress include: The Rev. **J. C. Wade** Post Office building in Omaha, NE, the AME Bishop **Henry McNeal Turner** Post Office in Macon, GA (he was pastor of the New Salem Baptist Church, one of the largest in the state), the Judge **Robert B. Watts** Post Office in Baltimore and the Dr. **Flossie McClure Dedmond** Post Office in Baltimore. She was a noted educator...Washington lawyer **Karen Hastie Williams** was chosen by President **Bill Clinton** for membership on the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board...The African Methodist Episcopal Church's first woman bishop, the Rev. **Vashti Murphy McKenzie**, who soon travels to Africa for her first assignment as a bishop, was the speaker for Howard University's 133rd year opening convocation...October 16 is the date for the Million Family March in Washington. For information on the event call: 877-MFM-7995...Navy officers ordered that Commander **Willie Keith Beasley** be reinstated in the National Naval Dental Center in Bethesda, MD, after he was dismissed from the school earlier this year because he complained about racial discrimination.

National Headliners

Encouraging Black diplomats to read, attend seminars and explore hard-to-fill posts, Ambassador **Ruth A. Davis** filled the issue of the Thursday Luncheon Group magazine with features on Blacks in exciting foreign posts...Kentucky state Rep. **Eleanor Jordan** passed the million-dollar mark in contributions in her Congressional campaign in Louisville, KY. If elected, she'll be the first Black elected to Congress from the state...Asked what he had named his 11-year-old son, **Adam C. Powell IV** quipped, "What else? Adam Clayton Powell V." The father is a candidate for the New York state assembly.



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Study Shows Justice Dept. Lawyers Seek Death Penalty Most For Minorities



▲ *Attorney General Janet Reno and Deputy Attorney General Eric Holder meet reporters at the U.S. Justice Dept. in Washington, D.C., to discuss the study.*

Wide racial and geographic disparities exist in the federal government's request for death sentences, according to a U.S. Justice Dept. study.

The study was requested by Attorney General Janet Reno, a follow-up to a new system she imposed in 1995 that requires U.S. Attorneys to get her approval for all death-sentence recommendations after a review of each case by a team of senior Justice officials. Reno's goal was to achieve a more uniform system.

However, those Justice Department recommendations for death sentences in federal cases roughly reflected the racial percentages of the pool of defendants charged with capital crimes.

Between 1995 and July of this year, U.S. attorneys forwarded for review the cases of 682 defendants who faced capital charges, of which 20% were White and 80% were minorities. U.S. attorneys recommended the death penalty be sought for 183 of them, 26% of them Whites and 74% minorities.

Reno approved seeking death penalties for 159 of them, of which 28% were Whites and 72% minorities.

Ultimately, during this period, 20 defendants have been sentenced to death, of which 20% were White and 80% minorities.

The proportion of those minorities charged with capital crimes, those recommended for the death penalty and those sentenced to death, was far higher than the proportion of minorities in the national population.

Deputy Attorney General Eric Holder noted, "I knew there would be a disparity, but I did not expect (one) quite that large...No one can help but be troubled by this. Ours is still a race-conscious society."

Geographically, only five of the 94 U.S. attorney districts accounted for about 40% of the 682 death penalty cases submitted for review. They were Puerto Rico, the western district of Virginia, Maryland and the eastern and southern districts of New York.



▲ *Democratic presidential nominee Al Gore admires talk-show host Oprah Winfrey's shiny red leather boots during a recent "Oprah" interview.*

'Oprah' Season Premiere Reveals Lighter Side Of Vice President Gore

Kicking off the 15th season of daytime diva Oprah Winfrey's talk show, Democratic presidential nominee Al Gore tackled topics that usually fail to surface during debates and campaign speeches—namely, his favorite breakfast cereal, what he wears when he goes to sleep and why he doesn't mind folks calling him "stiff."

The vice president took a welcomed detour from campaign heavy-hitters like gun control, the death penalty and abortion rights and treated some 22 million mostly female "Oprah" viewers to his rarely seen humorous side.

Gore bantered with Winfrey as he admired her ruby-red stiletto-heel boots, recalled how both he and Winfrey were young reporters in Nashville during the same time, and when Winfrey asked him if he is tired of critics calling him stiff, Gore chuckled and replied, "They're going to say something, so compared to the alternatives...."

He also flashed a sly squint as he answered a question about his fav-

orite thing to sleep in, which, as wife Tipper once revealed on TV, is absolutely nothing.

"A bed," Gore said to snickers from the audience. "You get the picture?"

This and other light-hearted personal fare was the substance of the hour-long broadcast, which showed Gore alternately caricaturing his own reputation for being stiff and then charming the audience with earnest talk of his family and "soul mate," Tipper.

"What I felt was just an overwhelming surge of emotion that this was a great moment in our lives," Gore said of the passionate kiss he gave Tipper when she introduced him at the Democratic convention. "It's not as if I got there by myself. This has been a partnership, and she is my soul mate."

Gore also revealed that while he doesn't have many fears, if he "had to single one out it would be forgetting the most important things in life—family and faith."

And he shared some little-known Gore trivia, including his favorite movie (*Local Hero*), favorite book (*The Red and the Black*), favorite music group (The Beatles), and favorite cereal, of which he initially replied "Oprah."

"Oh, I thought you meant serialized TV show," said Gore, realizing his error. He then named Wheaties as his favorite breakfast cereal.

▼ **MILLION FAMILY MARCH:** The Honorable Minister Louis Farrakhan, head of the Nation of Islam, discusses plans for the upcoming Million Family March during a press conference in Chicago. The march is scheduled for Oct. 16 in Washington, D.C. The date marks the five-year anniversary of Farrakhan's highly successful Million Man March. Farrakhan said strong families make a strong nation and explained that the upcoming march "will be the celebration of family, but it will be the mobilization, hopefully, of several millions of people, that we may leverage our unity toward government and its responsibility to us and the poor of this nation."





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Jazz Saxophonist Stanley Turrentine Succumbs To A Stroke In New York City



Jazz great Stanley Turrentine, whose hit songs included Sugar *and* Don't Mess With Mr. T, *recently died after he suffered a stroke in New York.*

Services recently were held for jazz saxophonist Stanley Turrentine at the Macedonia Baptist Church in his hometown of Pittsburgh.

Turrentine, 66, a tenor saxophonist whose hit *Sugar* established him in the popular mainstream and influenced musicians in many other genres, recently died at New York's Columbia Presbyterian Hospital. He suffered a stroke in his hotel room just hours before he was scheduled to perform at the Blue Note, a legendary New York jazz club.

Known as "Stan the Man" and "Mr. T," Turrentine was famed for his blending of jazz, blues, rock, pop and R&B.

Turrentine began his career playing with Ray Charles and Max Roach. He scored his biggest hit in 1970 with *Sugar*, which became something of a jazz standard, frequently performed and re-recorded.

The jazz legend began traveling with a band when he was 16 and later joined one of Charles' early R&B groups. He played in a jazz band headed by Roach and replaced the departing John Coltrane in Earl Bostic's band.

Turrentine went solo in the 1960s. His blues-influenced riffs brought him commercial success with such albums as *Stan "The Man" Turrentine, Up at Minton's* and *Never Let Me Go*.

Besides his solo albums, Turrentine was a strong collaborator, working with Herbie Hancock, George Benson and Jimmy Smith. He also had a long working collaboration with jazz organist Shirley Scott, his ex-wife.

He is survived by his wife, Judith, four daughters, a stepson, two sisters, three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Died:

Seybourn H. Lynne, 93, the U.S. judge who issued the historic order in 1963 which stopped the late Gov. George Wallace from blocking two Black students from attending the University of Alabama, in Birmingham, AL...**Dorothy Lee Hamilton McConner,** 71, former executive vice president of Johnson Products Company in Chicago, of breast cancer in Tucson, AZ.

This Week In Black History

October 1, 1944



Dr. William Hinton

▶ **Dr. William A. Hinton**'s test for diagnosing syphilis was approved by the Maryland State Department of Health as the only test to be used for diagnosing the disease on this day. Called the Hinton Test, it was extensively used during World War II by the Army, and the United States Public Health Service considered it best for determining the presence of syphilis. A Chicago native, Dr. Hinton earned a B.S. degree from Harvard University in 1905 and an M.D. from Harvard Medical School in 1912, with honors. After graduating from Harvard Medical School, he joined the staff of the Harvard Medical School as an assistant in preventive medicine and hygiene. During the summer of 1949, Dr. Hinton was promoted to the rank of clinical professor. He was the first Black to become a professor at Harvard Medical School in its 313-year history! Hinton retired in 1950 with the status of professor emeritus. He died August 8, 1959, at the age of 75 at his home in Canton, MA.

October 1, 1960

Nigeria was formally granted its independence from England on this day ending Britain's 60-year rule over the vast country in western Africa. Three years later on this day, Nigeria established itself as the Federal Republic of Nigeria. Abuja became the nation's capital in 1991. The nation's major cities are Lagos and Ibadan. Nigeria's current population is 113,828,587and has many different ethnic groups, which have their own languages. In addition to English, the languages include: Hausa, Yoruba and Igbo. It is Africa's leading producer of crude oil. Nigeria's other industries include mining and food processing. Its main export crop is cocoa. Others include palm products, corn and rice.



EBONY Fashion Fair Rolls Into Schaumburg, IL, And Milwaukee, WI, With

Fashion Sensation 2000/2001

Herve Leger, Paris' elastic evening skirt and top was a hit on Lashada Allen.

The splendor of the EBONY Fashion Fair recently rolled into

A Carven Couture, Paris, multicolored velvet gown and fringed stole with a matching handbag is modeled by Chavonn Chamble.



Commentator Jada Jackson of San Francisco, CA, models a sequin halter gown from the Pierre Cardin collection.

Dereka Hendon wears a yellow bubble suit and matching hat designed by Issey Miyake, Paris.

Schaumburg, IL, and Milwaukee, WI, with *Fashion Sensation*, a potpourri of drop-dead gorgeous couture creations by the world's top designers.

Audiences were treated to a fash-



▲ *Keena Ingram shines in a glittering beaded gown with ruffles around the periphery designed by Emanuel Ungaro, Paris.*

▶ *Katja Williams strolls the runway in a layered wool ensemble designed by Laura Biagotti, Milan.*

Marsha Tennant wows the audience in this black leather outfit from Thierry Mugler, Paris.





ion bonanza that gave sensation a new meaning.

New York-based designers Oscar de la Renta and Carolina Herrera tossed aside inhibitions about fur. Daytime suits to glamorous evening wear were trim-



A dramatic silk taffeta dress with matching stole designed by Geoffrey Beene, New York, with an elegant hat from Stephen Jones is worn by Danielle Cumberbatch.





▲ *Ena Lacy wears a sexy silver gown from Gai Mattiolo Couture, Rome.*
◀ *Rodney High is suave in a blue plaid coat with black slacks from Bucci for Men, Chicago.*

med or accessorized in the opulence of mink, fox, sable or chinchilla.

Givenchy and Donald Deal showcased glistening jean-cut pants covered in sparkling baubles and bangles as leathers by Claude Montana



Donella Turner models a velvet gown with silk insets designed by Quinton de Alexander, Chicago.



Walkiria Rodriguez models a fabulous two-piece ensemble from Carolina Herrera, NY.



Phillip Griffin turns heads in this striped coat with knit cap and shoulder bag from Laura Biagotti, Milan.

and Thierry Mugler were spotlighted in form-fitting, butter-soft pants and long, waist-defining coats.

The Schaumburg show was held at the Schaumburg Prairie Center for the Arts and was sponsored by



Angela Thompson is darling in this red gown with leather wrap designed by Mila Schon, Milan.

Full-figure model LaShawnda Jones wears a black cape bordered in fur worn over a dress with silver threads from Jovani, New York.



Irene Johnson (c), the American Airlines/American Eagle door prizewinner of a trip for two to any of the 48 states served by the airlines, is congratulated by (l-r) Carol Carter, president of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., Elgin Chapter; Beverly A.Ware, general chairperson; Renee Bush, co-chairperson; and Janice Suber, ticket chairperson.





▲ *Charlene Gray (2nd, r), the American Airlines/American Eagle prizewinner, receives best wishes from (l-r) Cream City Wisconsin Chapter Links, Inc. Committee President Charlotte Harris-Benn, Julietta Henry, ticket co-chairperson, and Florida Perry-Smith, general chairperson.*

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., while the Milwaukee show, sponsored by the Cream City Chapter Links, Inc., was held at the Pabst Theater. Both shows benefited the Scholarship Fund.

▼ *Cherrye Trotman (c), the top ticket-seller, is congratulated by EBONY Fashion Fair committee (l-r) Perry-Smith, Henry, Clara Keal, ticket chairperson, and Annye Nichols, financial secretary.*




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SOCIETY WORLD

▲ **A Treasure Found:** DeAndré William Calhoun and Amanda Pedersen Williams married at the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C. The bride, a graduate of Harvard University, attends Emory University's Graduate Schools of Medicine and Public Health. The groom, a graduate of Morehouse College and the University of Georgia, is a teacher at the Westminster Schools of Atlanta. They honeymooned in Costa Rica.



▲ **Giving You My All:** Stacey Michelle Carter became the wife of Deadric Juan Hollins at the Woodland Hills Country Club in Memphis, TN. The bride, a programmer with Federal Express of Memphis, is a graduate of Tennessee State University. The groom, an affiliate broker with Crye-Leike Realtors of Memphis, is a graduate of the University of Memphis. Maui, Hawaii, was the honeymoon spot. They will reside in Atlanta.

◀ **Joy And Happiness:** Tyrone Allen King wed Sonja Annette Clark at Carter-Tabernacle CME Church in Orlando, FL. The bride, a graduate of Florida State University and the Southern University Law Center, is a real estate attorney with the Florida Association of Realtors. The groom, a graduate of Florida A&M University and the Florida State University School of Law, is an associate with the Law Offices of Michael Krakar, staff counsel for Zurich U.S. They honeymooned in Cancun, Mexico.





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▲ **The Sweetest Love:** James Gomez, Jr. and Tamiko Jones, both graduates of the University of Pittsburgh, wed at the University of Maryland West Chapel in College Park, MD. The bride is a registered nurse at the George Washington University Hospital in the Intensive Care Unit. The groom, program officer for international affairs at the Rainbow/PUSH Coalition in Washington, D.C., also is a graduate of Maryville College.

▲ **Happy Beginnings:** Brian Keith King is a proud man after he married Lorna Nichelle Dixon at Trinity United Church of Christ in Chicago. They are both graduates of Southern Illinois University at Carbondale. The bride is an experienced staff accountant for Arthur Andersen LLP. The groom is an accounts payable supervisor-Midwest for Hapag-Lloyd. St. Maarten, U.S. Virgin Islands, was the honeymoon spot.



◄ **Golden Anniversary:** Mr. and Mrs. Willie James Foggie of Waterloo, SC, recently celebrated 50 years of marriage by reaffirming their vows at the Mt. Zion Baptist Church Family Life Center in Coronaca, SC. Mrs. Annie Laura Foggie retired from Clinton Mills, Bailey Plant. Her dedicated mate for five decades retired from the B.F. Shaw Company. They capped off their anniversary celebration by taking a cruise to the Bahamas with family and friends. The Foggies are the parents of four.

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Blacks' Buying Power Nearly Doubled In Past Decade, New Study Shows

Buying power among Blacks, Asian-Americans and American Indians has nearly doubled over an 11-year period, a University of Georgia study shows.

The study looked at disposable income—the amount of money minorities have to spend after taxes. Disposable income for the three racial groups is projected to rise from $439.9 billion in 1990 to $860.6 billion in 2001, an increase of more than 95 percent, said the newly released study.

Purchasing power for Blacks rose about 86 percent, from $307.8 billion to $572.1 billion, while buying power for American Indians rose 81 percent, from $19.2 billion to $34.8 billion.

Buying power for Hispanics—which the study considered separately from the other three groups—was projected to more than double, rising from $207.5 billion to more than $452 billion over the 11 years.

"This is a wake-up call for any consumer business that's been neglecting these markets," said Jeffrey Humphreys, director of the university's Selig Center for Economic Growth.

Asian-Americans led the way among the four racial groups, with buying power jumping from about $113 billion in 1990 to a projected $254 billion next year—an increase of nearly 125 percent.

Overall, U.S. buying power will reach $7.1 trillion next year, up more than 70 percent from 1990, said the study, which analyzed Census Bureau data and government economic statistics.

Wal-Mart Inc. Cites Barbecue Sauce Maker's Confederate Flag In Removing Product

Wal-Mart is discontinuing the sale of Maurice Bessinger's barbecue sauce in six Southern states because he successfully fought a town ordinance to fly the Confederate flag over his restaurants in the Columbia, SC-area.

Bessinger's sauce was promptly removed from eight Sam's Club stores (owned by Wal-Mart) in North Carolina and South Carolina when a customer complained Bessinger took down the U.S. flag from the poles at all nine of his Piggie Park restaurants and replaced them with Confederate flags.

Bessinger said this act was a protest against the power of the federal government.

Sam's Club spokeswoman said the controversy was the main reason for pulling the sauce.

"We do all we can to not let controversial matters get in the way of business," she said. "We want to take care of our members and our associates, and this decision is in that spirit."



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S.C. Mother Accused Of Burying Newborn Alive; Infant Survives



▲ *Fairfax, SC, city police escort Carolyn Denise Jones into a magistrate office for a bond hearing following her arraignment after her newborn son was found buried alive.*

A 21-year-old woman was recently charged for allegedly burying her newborn son in a trash dump a few hours before he was found in a shallow grave covered with fire ants.

Caroline Denise Jones, a former day-care worker, was jailed and charged with assault and battery with the intent to kill. She was unable to post her $40,000 bond.

At a hearing, Jones would not answer questions about why she left the baby. Her mother, Bertha Jones, said her daughter buried the infant because she thought he was dead.

Jones allegedly buried the baby boy headfirst in a 14-inch grave after she gave birth to him in Fairfax, SC. Following her actions, Jones then went to Allendale County Hospital. Doctors there alerted the police she had signs of giving birth but had no baby.

Police said Jones thought the baby was dead, buried him and later led the authorities to the shallow grave.

Even though the baby had been covered with fire ants and a white substance believed to have been lime, the authorities could tell the boy was still alive.

"The baby was crying," said paramedic Joe Topper. "It sounded like his lungs were doing good." The infant was taken to a Columbia hospital where he was listed in good condition.

Bertha Jones said neither she nor her daughter, who also has a 2-year-old son, knew about the pregnancy until the baby was born. "There was no sign, and she said she didn't know," said Bertha Jones.



► *Fairfax Assistant Chief Marvin J. Williams shifts through a lime pile to show the exact spot where the Jones baby was found buried alive in a shallow grave.*



■ **'BAIT' MOVIE PREMIERE:** Famed comedian-actor Jamie Foxx, who is winning rave reviews for his starring role in the new movie *Bait*, is accompanied by his date, Adren Kelly, as they attend the movie premiere at Loews Cineplex Century Plaza in Century City, CA.

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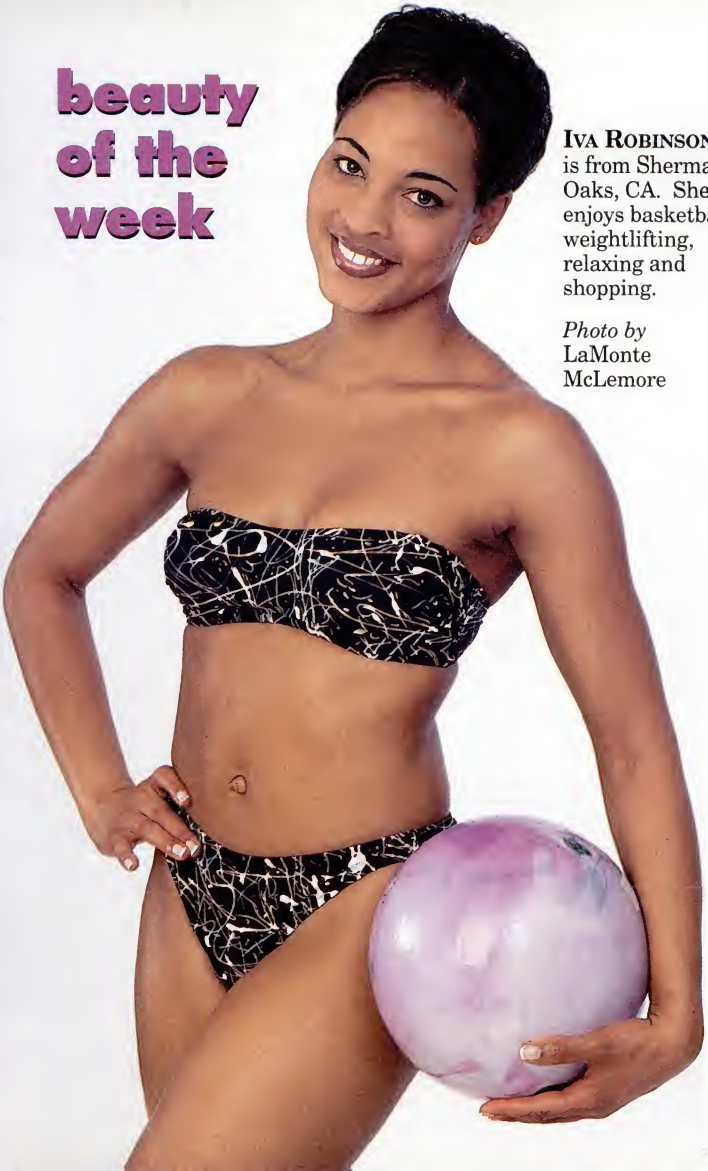
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IVA ROBINSON is from Sherman Oaks, CA. She enjoys basketball, weightlifting, relaxing and shopping.

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■ **Celebrity Couple:** Sultry actress Lela Rochon and her husband, Antoine Fuqua, who directed the new movie *Bait,* stop for photographers as they arrive for the movie premiere in Century City, CA.



EXPECTANT PARENTS: Cedric "The Entertainer," co-star of the blockbuster comedy film *The Original Kings of Comedy*, and his wife, Lorna, are all smiles as they attend the recent premiere of *Bait* in Century City, CA. The happy couple are expecting their first child.

Tips For Avoiding Colds And Flu

The changing seasons bring shorter days, colder weather and a greater chance of catching colds and flu. Since these illnesses mainly strike during the fall and winter, many people believe that the cold weather causes us to get sick.

But the truth is that viruses, not chilly temperatures, cause colds and flu. Because people spend more time indoors during the colder months, experts say the opportunity for viruses to spread among people increases.

Also, the decrease in humidity during the fall and winter allows cold and flu viruses to thrive, and the lack of moisture in the air may dry the lining of the nasal passages, making them more susceptible to infection.

While colds and flu are similar, colds usually last only a few days and are marked by a stuffy nose, sore throat, coughing and sneezing. Flu symptoms, however, typically include fatigue, fever, headache, a bad cough and major aches and pains which can linger for weeks. And the flu can sometimes lead to more serious complications, such as pneumonia.

To keep from coming down with a cold, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration suggests you take the following precautions:

- **Wash your hands often.** You can pick up cold germs when shaking someone's hands, or touching doorknobs and handrails.
- **Avoid people with colds when possible.**
- **Clean surfaces you touch with a germ-killing disinfectant.**
- **Don't touch your nose, eyes or mouth since germs can enter your body those ways.**

The best way to reduce your chances of coming down with the flu is to get a flu vaccination. While just about anyone can get a flu shot, the government strongly recommends immunization for those in high-risk groups, like people 65 and older, nursing-home patients, people with health problems like asthma, HIV or heart disease, and children and teens (6 months to 18 years) who must take aspirin regularly.

Experts say you may not be able to get a flu shot if you have certain allergies, if you have an illness like bronchitis or pneumonia, if you have a high fever or if you're pregnant, so consult your doctor.

If, despite your precautions, you do get sick with a cold or the flu, experts advise that you drink plenty of fluids, especially water, and get plenty of rest. Use a humidifier to put moisture in the air and to help keep your nasal passages from drying out and take the proper cough-and-cold medicine to treat your symptoms.

If you're treating a child or teen with cold or flu symptoms, the FDA warns that you not give them aspirin or other products containing salicylates since young people can get sick and die from a rare condition—Reye's syndrome—if they take these medications while they have cold or flu symptoms.

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◄*Anna Cole, the mother of the conjoined twins, holds the babies in her lap prior to their separation.*

Siamese Twins From Liberia Separated By Surgical Team In U.S.

Three-month-old Siamese twins joined at their lower backs will finally be able to see eye-to-eye after they recently were surgically separated. The infants were in critical but stable condition and are expected to recover completely.

The Liberian girls, flown to the United States for the surgery, were resting after they underwent the eight-hour operation at Children's Hospital in Columbus, OH. Mary Cole, who weighs 10 pounds, and her sister Decontee, 7 pounds, were doing well doctors said.

They've never really seen each other, being connected at the buttocks," said Dr. Gail Besner, the lead pediatric surgeon of the 40-member medical team. "But right now, they're too tired. They're in side-by-side cribs."

The little girls, born June 4 in a hut, were lucky because their vital organs were separate, doctors said. The bases of their spines were fused and the bone had to be separated, and surgeons had to fashion new anal openings for both.

Through an interpreter, the girls' mother, Anna Cole, 25, praised hospital staffers "for all the generosity and love they have given my children. ... I ask for your continued support, because I cannot afford to sup-



► *Doctors prepare the 3-month-old twins, Decontee (l), and Mary, for surgery.*



◀ *Lead pediatric surgeon, Dr. Gail Besner, points to a diagram explaining the surgical procedure performed on the conjoined twins at Children's Hospital in Columbus, OH.*

port them on my own."

She has a son and two other daughters, all under age 8, who remained at home with her husband, Emanuel.

Cole's trip from Africa was arranged by Liberian President Charles Taylor and a Liberian doctor who had heard about Children's Hospital's experience with Siamese, or conjoined, twins.

Mary, Decontee and their mother, Anna, will remain in the United States for two to three more months while the twins recover.

▼ **COOLIO RAPS ABOUT ASTHMA:** Rapper and asthma sufferer, Coolio, displays his asthma inhaler as he joins Surgeon General David Satcher to talk about the severity and high cost of treatment for the disease, especially for Blacks. The 31-year-old entertainer is the spokesperson for the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America, which held the news conference at the Renaissance Mayflower Hotel in Washington, D.C.





▲ *Interim Indiana Univ. head basketball coach Mike Davis addresses news conference at Assembly Hall in Bloomington, IN.*

Indiana University Names Mike Davis Interim Men's Basketball Head Coach

Mike Davis, an Alabama native who started assistant-coaching at Indiana University in the 1997-98 season, has been named interim head coach of the University's famed basketball team in the wake of the recent firing of longtime coach Bob Knight.

Knight supported Davis for the slot and players reportedly threatened to transfer if someone from Knight's staff wasn't named interim coach of the team.

"These guys were standing up for me, so there was no way I could turn it down," Davis said during a press conference on the Bloomington, IN, campus. "I'm happy because it's a great opportunity to become a head coach, but I'm sad for how it happened. Coach Knight is the reason I'm here and these guys are here."

Davis, 40, played college basketball for the University of Alabama from 1979-83. He ranks among the Crimson Tide's top 25 players in career points. Davis was drafted by the Milwaukee Bucks in the second round of the 1983 NBA draft, but he decided to play for professional teams in Switzerland and Italy before he joined the Topeka (KS) Sizzlers in the Continental Basketball Association (CBA) for the 1988-89 season.

In 1989, Davis started his coaching experience at Miles College in Alabama. After one year, he left to be an assistant coach in the CBA for four seasons before he tracked back to his alma mater to coach in 1995. Davis was Alabama's assistant coach for two years, then he started his tenure at Indiana under Coach Knight in 1997.

A string of violent outbursts for years caused school officials to impose the "zero-tolerance" policy on Knight last spring. University president Myles Brand fired Knight for violating this policy when the coach recently grabbed a student by the arm to lecture him about manners after the student greeted him by saying, "Hey, what's up Knight?"

A husband and a father of a daughter and two sons, Davis knows it's his job to hold the reins of Indiana's pride.

"The only way the tradition can go on is for me to go out and recruit the way I did before I became head coach. Even if I'm not head coach next year, I want to bring in really good players so this tradition can continue."



Frank Thomas, the White Sox's first baseman and designated hitter, is a leading candidate this season for the American League's Most Valuable Player.

Frank Thomas And The Chicago White Sox Are Big Contenders For Post Season

It's been many years since the Chicago White Sox has been a contender in the postseason. The team is inching closer to clinching its division and competing in the playoffs as it winds up its regular-season games.

Led by its Black manager Jerry Manuel, the White Sox roster contains Black athletes who have great numbers and have performed well all season.

One person who is leading the White Sox on this destined road (that the team hasn't been on since 1993) is its franchise player, Frank Thomas. Thomas is putting up big numbers this year, evincing his powerful swing and reminding baseball fans why he is known as the "Big Hurt." At JET press time, Thomas was leading the American League in homeruns and RBIs.

By dominating last decade, Thomas established himself as a hitting prodigy. His 1993 and 1994 seasons won him MVP accolades. In 1997 he won the American League batting title and became the only player in history to hit over .300 with at least 20 home runs, 100 RBIs, 100 walks and scored 100 runs through seven-straight seasons.

Yet, for the last couple of years, Thomas has received much criticism from coaches and the media for his poor performance. In 1998, Thomas' batting average slipped from his dramatic standards, and the majority of his 1999 season he played with a bone spur in his ankle, finally undergoing surgery toward the end of the season.

In this first season of the new millennium, Thomas says it feels good to be back on top: "I'm happy this year to



▲ *The Chicago White Sox's second baseman, Ray Durham, is an American League leader with runs scored.*

come back with a vengeance and show people where I am," Thomas said. "Certain people are writing you off and it's not a good feeling. But pro sports is 'What have you done for me lately?' and that's just the way it is. I understand that. Do I respect it? No. But I understand."

Thomas continued, "Everyone is doubting this team because we're such a young team," Thomas said. "We're not the wide variety of superstars that people are used to on a team with a lot of guys making money, we don't have that. We have a lot of young guys that have overachieved all year."

At the beginning of the season the Chicago White Sox was predicted to win fourth in its division; however, the team has led the division since June 3 and is gaining fan support.

One of the White Sox's leading pitchers, James Baldwin, who has been fighting a shoulder injury this season, says fans are showing up now that it's playoff time.

"At first people thought it was a fluke and all that stuff," Baldwin said. "So now that we're in September and they know it's not a fluke, they're starting to come out a little bit and support us even more so. When that starts to happen, everyone starts to play a little better."

Chris Singleton, the Sox's famed center fielder, says their team has a winning formula.

"When a team wins like this, you don't concentrate as much on your individual statistics, you have to concentrate on the team. We all have the tendency to focus on ourselves, which really produces a lot of stress. But when you're able to focus on something bigger than yourself, it takes stress off you. You're able to actually enjoy the season better."

The White Sox's second baseman, Ray Durham, who leads the team with runs scored, is also a major contributor. With his power hitting and great defense, Durham tries not to get ahead of himself.

"Well, we really aren't [in the playoffs] yet," Durham sighed. "It will be great for the city of Chicago."

Durham feels the team's success can pave the way to new places.

"We do have a lot of Black guys on this team and a couple of Black coaches. I feel that we've taken it in a direction where it's given a lot of Black guys the chance to hopefully one day be Black managers or even a Black general manager or even a Black owner. It's opening the door for a lot of things, for Black athletes in all."



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Should Women Ever Pay On A Date?



◄ *Myreah Moore is firm that a woman should never pay on a date because she'll cut off a man's chance to lead in the situation.*

Everyone loves to be wined and dined, especially when it's at another person's expense.

Traditionally society suggests that the man not only initiate a date, but pay for it as well. But is it really fair for a man to foot the bill all the time? Should women ever pay on a date?

Absolutely not, relationship expert Myreah Moore tells JET.

"He is paying for her company. She can sit at home and have a $2.99 Lean Cuisine by herself," quips Moore, who has been dubbed "America's dating coach." "A man needs to know that you are a treasure. He's not paying for a meal. He's paying for your company. The pleasure of your company makes his meal sweeter."

The author of *Date Like A Man To Get The Man You Want!* continues that because "men will economically always make more money than women," it's out of the question for a woman to ever pay on a date.

"When women start paying, it really cuts the man off at the knees. In this day when women can do so much for themselves, this is where men will have power. Men have power in money and women have power sexually. If a woman pays for a date, it would take away her chance to support his being a man in that situation," Moore notes.

She concludes, "When a man is courting a client for business, he pays. He will always wine and dine his client, even if there's the possibility of



► *A woman should be willing to share in the expenses of a date, according to psychologist Dr. Joyce Hamilton Berry.*



▲ *Society says that the initiator of a date usually pays for it, points out Dr. George Edmond Smith.*

his not getting the job. The same thing should hold true for a date."

Psychologist Dr. Joyce Hamilton Berry disagrees. She doesn't see a thing wrong with women paying on a date.

"It used to be women did not work and have a source of income, therefore men paid on a date. This is a different age," she explains.

A person's age and the nature of the relationship might also possibly influence his/her thoughts about who foots the bill on a date.

"Some men are offended when a woman offers to pay for a date. They may come from the viewpoint that the man should pay for the entertainment, but there's nothing wrong with the woman offering. Also if the woman is not interested in a relationship and she's out with a co-worker or someone else who she's doing business with, she might not want the man to pay because this way it makes it very clear that she's not interested in a relationship and that this is business," resolves Berry.

Society often dictates that the initiator of the date–be it the man or the woman–should pay for it, states Dr. George Edmond Smith.

"A date between a man and a woman is usually preceded by non-verbal communication, and since men are often the initiators of dates still today, his first verbal communication is key," explains Smith who authored *More Than Sex: Reinventing The Black Male Image*.

He continues, "[The man] asks the woman out by saying, 'Baby, let's go out,' and she subconsciously hears an implied 'and I'll pay' tacked onto the end of the phrase because that is the social norm. Since he is asking, it is his responsibility to set the boundaries of the date. Conflict arises when signals are crossed and the initial communication is not clear. The same goes for the assertive woman who asks a man out. She should expect to pay because the 'initiator always pays,' according to the norm."

To avoid mixed signals about who'll pick up the tab, Smith encourages people to discuss the issue at hand.

"Neither party should ever assume that the other is paying and both should always be able to set the boundary from the beginning as to the expectations they have of the other, otherwise, if you ask, be prepared to pay!"

Harriette Cole, president of Profundities, Inc., an image and etiquette consulting firm in New York, believes that a woman should pay on a date only in certain circumstances.



▲ *George Davis believes that the woman's chemistry with her date and the circumstances that surround it should determine who pays.*

"She should pay after she has been going out with the guy for a while because she is sharing in the creation of their activity, but I don't think it should be the first date. I'm old-fashioned that way. Regardless of how evolved our society becomes, I still think it's nice for the man to take care of the woman."

Cole, author of *How to Be: Contemporary Etiquette for African-Americans,* also believes that if the woman initiates the activity or if the evening will consist of multiple components, "it would be nice for the woman to contribute to some part of the evening."

But, first and foremost, once again, gauge the circumstance.

She continues, "We need to be practical, especially if it's someone whom you've known for a long time or if it's an occasion where your resources are greater than his. In those situations it is fine to treat your friend sometimes. It's important to be compassionate toward the other person."

Like Smith, Cole also believes that people must discuss finances before the date. "When in doubt, ask. You want to be tactful about discussing it, but it should definitely be discussed. Don't be afraid to talk about who'll pay. You can say, 'I'd like to treat you or go dutch.' Or you can ask, 'Are you treating me?' But always go back to Momma's wisdom, 'Make sure you have enough money for yourself and to get home,' whatever you agree."

George Davis, author of *Love Lessons*, notes that the woman should pay on a date depending upon how the woman feels about the man and the chemistry of the situation.

"Sometimes the person who pays on a date is determined by who has the most money. If a woman enjoys the company of a guy with little money and, depending upon how she feels about him, she might be willing to pay," Davis explains. "Also if a woman has a recent good fortune, she could offer to pay on a date. Generosity of the heart breeds more good fortune."

Davis says that some women are adamant about never paying on a date; he finds this a bit perplexing.

"Some women say, 'I wouldn't buy dinner for him,' but they've already slept with him a couple of times," he asserts. "I would think that buying dinner would be easier. You would do better to be more generous with your money than yourself."

Beah Richards, Emmy-Winning Actress, Dies At 80

Actress Beah Richards, who recently won an Emmy Award for her guest appearance on ABC's "The Practice," died of emphysema in Vicksburg, MS. She was 80.

The distinguished actress, whose career has spanned more than 50 years, was known for her "mother" roles where she portrayed strong, soulful women. She once said of the roles: "I have played everybody's mother."



▲ *Beah Richards starred in* Guess Who's Coming To Dinner *with Sidney Poitier (r) and Roy Glenn in 1967. She earned an Oscar nomination for the role.*

She earned an Oscar nomination for best supporting actress for the movie *Guess Who's Coming to Dinner* where she played Sidney Poitier's mother.

In addition to Poitier, her "sons" included James Earl Jones (*The Great White Hope*), Danny Glover (*And The Children Shall Lead*), Delroy Lindo (*A Raisin in the Sun*) and Eriq LaSalle ("E.R.").

A few days before her death, Richards won an Emmy for her work on "The Practice." The show's co-star, LisaGay Hamilton, took the award to Richards in Vicksburg because she was unable to attend due to her failing health (JET, Sept. 25).

"They made this the experience of a lifetime for this old lady. I can't tell you what this means to me. It is truly a great accomplishment," Richards said when she was presented her Emmy by Hamilton.

In 1988 Richards won an Emmy for her guest appearance on "Frank's Place," which starred Tim Reid. A year earlier she won an ACE Award for Best Actress in a Movie or Miniseries for her role in *As Summers Die* on HBO.

In 1998 she appeared in the movie *Beloved* as the spirit-filled grandmother Baby Suggs. Her other film credits include *Hurry Sundown* and *Drugstore Cowboy*. TV credits for Richards include *Roots: The Next Generation* and "The Bill Cosby Show." Broadway works include *Purlie Victorious* and *The Amen Corner*.

Richards also authored three books, *One is A Crowd*, *A Black Woman Speaks* and *A Black Woman Speaks and Other Poems*.

She was divorced from Hugh Harrell, an artist. There are no immediate survivors.


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Denzel Washington

Is Coach Who Unites Racially Divided Team And Community In 'Remember The Titans'



▲ *Academy Award-winning actor Denzel Washington stars as Virginia high school football coach Herman Boone in the new movie* Remember The Titans, *which opens this week.*

Whenever Denzel Washington stars in a movie, his fans know what to expect.

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And the Academy Award winner continues his tradition of excellence in the new movie *Remember The Titans,* which opens at theatres everywhere on Sept. 29.

Based on a true story, Washington stars as high school football coach Herman Boone, who unites a racially divided team and community.

In 1971 high school football was everything in Alexandria, Virginia, where the movie takes place. But when the local school board was forced to integrate an all-Black school with an all-White school, the very foundation of football's great tra-



▲ *Washington and Will Patton (2nd, l), who plays Coach Bill Yoast, join the real-life coaches Herman Boone (2nd, r) and Bill Yoast on the set of* Remember The Titans.

dition was put to the test.

In what is a potentially volatile situation with far-reaching consequences, Boone is brought up from South Carolina and hired as head coach of the T.C. Williams High Titans football team over the White former coach Bill Yoast, played by Will Patton.

The talented cast also includes Donald Faison, who stars on "Felicity" and the former series "Clueless"; Nicole Ari Parker, who stars in Showtime's TV series "Soul Food"; Wood Harris, who portrays rock music legend Jimi Hendrix in Showtime's

▼ *Portraying Titan football players are actors (l-r) Earl C. Poitier, Wood Harris, Donald Faison, Ryan Gosling, Craig Kirkwood, Ethan Suplee and Kip Pardue.*





▲ *Boone, a no-nonsense coach, makes the team go through a rigorous workout in football camp in the movie, which is based on a true story.*

movie *Hendrix*, Earl C. Poitier, a cousin of the legendary Sidney Poitier, and child actresses Hayden Panettiere and Krystin Leigh Jones.

As Boone and Yoast learn to work together, they find they have much more than football in common: Both are men of integrity and honor with a strong work ethic. Although from different backgrounds, these two coaches mold a group of angry Black and White unfocused high school football players into a dynamic team. They also teach them about being responsible, caring young men.

Boone also gives them lessons in race relations, friendship and teamwork.

Washington read the script and immediately wanted to do the role. "I just thought it was a fascinating story," he says. "The emotional core of the story is with the kids. I was also impressed with Coach



► *Titan football players Julius Campbell (Wood Harris) and Gary Bertier (Ryan Hurst) become friends despite their race.*



▲ *Coach Boone, joined by Coach "Doc" Hinds, played by GregAlan Williams, teaches the players about respect, integrity, work ethic and good race relations in the powerful movie.*

Boone as a man, a coach and a father."

Washington laughs as he describes the real Coach Boone. "Herman would be the first to tell you he's a dictator." He adds, "Fundamentally, he and Coach Yoast were teachers looking to bring out the best in their kids. But their styles were a bit different. Coach Boone was a taskmaster."

Washington easily slipped into his role. "Most of my life I have coached kids," he recalls. "I grew up in the Boys Club and was a counselor there for many years. I started coaching from the time my son was 5 and continue to this day.

"This role was fun," he continues. "I liked spending time with Herman, watching how he operates. I knew from the time I hit the field I had to take charge. I made a point not to get too close to the players, to keep it a coach/student relationship even though some of the guys were a little older than high-school age. Even if I didn't know exactly what I was doing, I wanted to appear as if I was in charge, and they seemed to respond to that. I enjoyed getting the troops together and getting them energized."

The film was written by Gregory Allen Howard, who noticed that the city of Alexandria was uncommonly well-integrated. "It's socially integrated in a way I'd never seen. Movie theaters, restaurants, neighborhoods. I couldn't understand why. Why here and almost nowhere else?" Howard wondered.

He recalls, "I started asking around and I kept hearing about this high



▲ *Washington says he was impressed with his character, Coach Boone "as a man, a coach and a father."*

school football team. I think it was my barber who first told me about the Titans and these two coaches. I couldn't imagine that a high school team could so affect an entire town. Some say they saved the city."

Boone taught the kids the importance of respect. "I was taught to respect another man's belief, his culture, his space," the real-life Boone notes. "Whatever I might think of him, I must treat him with respect."

Howard notes, "That was the genius of Herman. For 200 years in America we have tried to do this let's-love-each-other thing to solve our racial problems. Herman told his kids that they didn't have to love each other or even like each other, but they did have to respect each other."

Washington sums up Boone's contribution to football and race relations: "He took this group of kids and deprogrammed them and gave them a purpose. He made them understand that we're all human beings."

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- 1 10 ¾ oz. can condensed cream of mushroom soup
- 1 6 oz. package KRAFT Shredded Mild Cheddar Cheese

Prepare KRAFT Deluxe Macaroni & Cheese according to package directions and set aside. Melt butter in a sauté pan over medium heat. Add vegetables to sauté pan and cook until tender, approximately 5 minutes. Add black pepper. Fold cooked vegetables into KRAFT Deluxe Macaroni & Cheese. Add cream of mushroom soup and transfer mixture to lightly oiled casserole dish. Layer and top mixture with KRAFT Shredded Mild Cheddar Cheese. Bake in pre-heated oven at 350 degrees until cheese is melted, about 10 minutes. Serve hot.

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'Space Jam'

Michael Jordan stars in this live action and animation comedy where he teams with Bugs Bunny and a roster of Looney Toons characters to play against a group of tiny cartoon aliens in a do-or-die basketball game. Also starring are **Theresa Randle**, **Larry Bird**, **Charles Barkley**, **Patrick Ewing**, **Muggsy Bogues**, **Larry Johnson** and many more in *Space Jam,* (Sunday, October 1 at 7 p.m., ET) on ABC. Others scheduled to appear this week include:

Denzel Washington in *The Pelican Brief*, (Saturday, September 30 at 8 p.m., ET) on CBS.

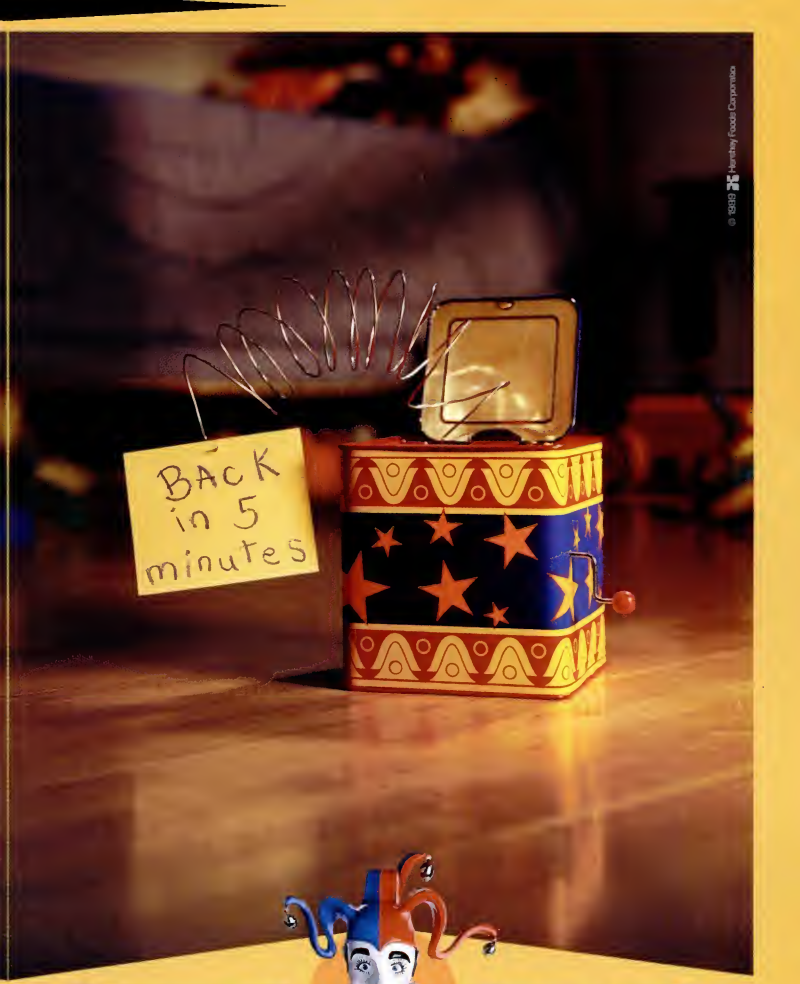
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